

+ *Rt. Rev. Archimandrite Francis M. Vivona, S.T.M., J.C.L., 1943-2017 – Founding Pastor +*
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OUR LADY OF WISDOM

ITALO-GREEK BYZANTINE CATHOLIC CHURCH

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July 23rd and 24th, 2022

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THIS WEEKEND'S LITURGIES:

Saturday 5:00pm Vesper Divine Liturgy
Sunday 10:00am Third Hour
10:10am Confessions
10:30am Divine Liturgy

THIS WEEKDAY'S SERVICES:

Tuesday 7:00am Morning Prayer
4:00pm Evening Prayer



St. Panteleimon

Our Lady of Wisdom Mission Statement

Our mission is to foster a Catholic and Godly renewal with worship through the awe-inspiring Liturgy of the Byzantine Catholic Church; in order to bring the message of the Living Lord to the faithful and seekers of truth.

Parish Membership

The Family of Our Lady of Wisdom is open to any Catholic, and to anyone:

- who is interested in seeking the Lord Jesus Christ through His Word and Sacred Mysteries (Sacraments)
- who accepts the teachings of the Catholic Church
- who will help us form a community based on the Lord's love
- who is willing to grow as a Christian within the legitimate traditions of the Byzantine Catholic Church
- who acknowledges the authority of the Pope, Bishop and Pastor
- who will attend Liturgical Services on Saturday or Sunday, and on the Great Holy Days
- who is willing to support the growth of the Church by sharing their Time, Talent and Treasure (financial support)
- who will participate in the yearly Eparchial Appeal

For registration information, please contact the Parish Office.

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, July 23rd – Trophimus and Others, Martyrs

5:00pm Vesper Divine Liturgy

Intention: Daniel Camillo

Readings: Rom 12:1-3; Mt 10:37-11:1

Sunday, July 24th – 7th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

10:00am Third Hour

10:10am Confessions

10:30am Divine Liturgy

Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom

Reading: Rom 15:1-7; Mt 9:27-35

Monday, July 25th – Dormition of Anna

Readings: 1 Cor 9:13-18; Mt 16:1-6

Tuesday, July 26th – Hermolaus and Others, Priest Martyrs

7:00am Morning Prayer

4:00pm Evening Prayer

Readings: 1 Cor 10:5-12; Mt 16:6-12

Wednesday, July 27th – Panteleimon, Great Martyr

Readings: 1 Cor 10:12-22; Mt 16:20-24

Thursday, July 28th – Prochorus and Others, Apostles

Readings: 1 Cor 10:28-11:7; Mt 16:24-28

Friday, July 29th – Calinicus, Martyr

Readings: 1 Cor 11:8-23; Mt 17:10-18

Saturday, July 30th – Silas and Others, Apostles

5:00pm Vesper Divine Liturgy

Intention: People of Our Lady of Wisdom

Readings: Rom 13:1-10; Mt 12:30-37

Sunday, July 31st - 8th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

10:00am Third Hour

10:10am Confessions

10:30am Divine Liturgy

Intention: Samuel and Doris Dennis

Reading: 1 Cor 1:10-18; Mt 14:14-22

***Glory to Jesus Christ!
Glory to Him Forever!***

23rd - SS. Trophimus, Theophilus and others with them, suffered martyrdom by beheading about A.D. 302, during the reign of Diocletian, Emperor. St. Apollinaris, Priest-Martyr, appointed first Bishop of Ravenna by St. Peter, died in the reign of Vespasian, Emperor A.D. 79.

24th - SS. Boris and Gleb, Martyrs, in their baptism had taken the names of **Romanus and David**, were Princes, sons of St. Vladimir, the first Christian Grand Duke of "Rus." They died A.D. 1010. **St. Christina**, Martyr, was tortured and put to death at Lucas Vulsinus in Tuscany, Italy, A.D. 200, during the reign of Septimius Severus, Emperor.

25th - Dormition of St. Anna, Mother of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of God. (Confer Dec 8)

26th - SS. Hermolaus, Priest-Martyr and two brothers, **Hermippas and Thermocrates**, martyred about 300 A.D., in Nicomedia, the residence of the Emperor Diocletian. **St. Parasceva**, Venerable Martyr.

27th - Pantaleon or Panteleimon, The Great Martyr and Imperial physician, reckoned with St. Luke, Apostle, Patron of medical men. He suffered death by beheading about A.D. 303, during the reign of Maximian, Emperor. Our Venerable Mother, Authusa, mother of St. John Chrysostom. **St. Clement of Ochrid**, Wonderworker.

28th - SS. Prochorus, Nicanor, Timon and Parmenas. Apostles and Deacons, four of the Seven Deacons spoken of in the Acts 6:5; all having suffered death for Christ. Our Holy Father, **Innocentius**, Pope of Rome. After many hardships, he died A.D. 417.

29th - St. Callinicus, Martyr at Gangrae, martyred about A.D. 290. **SS. Seraphina**, Virgin-Martyr. **Theodotia and her Children**, of Syrian origin, adopted daughter of St. Sabina, whom she had converted to Christianity at Rome, arrested and beheaded A.D. 122.

30th - SS. Silas, Silvanus, Criscentus, Hепенetus and Andronicus, Apostles – St. John, soldier-Martyr, endured death in Caesarea of Cappadocia during the reign of Constantine and Galerius – St. Julitta, Martyr.

31st - St. Eudocimus, Venerable, lived in the reign of Theophilus, the Iconoclast Emperor.

ASCESIS: CHRISTIAN TRAINING

The Apostle Paul spoke frankly about the ongoing conflict that even believers have within themselves: "For the good which I will [to do], I do not; but the evil which I will not, that I do." (Romans 7:19) Our souls and bodies need to be trained by our efforts and guided by the grace of God. Passions are inordinate desires that move us to act selfishly and unwisely. Efforts we make to control or manage the passions are called asceticism. Prayer, fasting, acts of self-denial, acts of mercy to others, are all ascetical practices. The Greek term ascesis means training. This same word is used in regard to training for sports. Saint Paul himself used the language of sports in his preaching: "Do you not know that in a race all the runners compete, but only one receives the prize? So run that you may obtain it. Every athlete exercises self-control in all things. They do it to receive a perishable wreath, but we are imperishable." (1 Cor.9:24,25)

+++ **PARISH INFORMATION AND IMPORTANT DATES** +++

CANTORS NEEDED – If you are interested in being a Cantor or learning Greek Chant - Please see Subdeacon David.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to our parishioners who celebrate birthdays this week: Catherine Brunst July 25; Killian Lake July 27; Michele Greger July 28. *God Grant You Many Happy Blessed Years!*

EPARCHIAL APPEAL 2022 continues. We are working to support our Eparchy as a community, so please prayerfully discern what you can give. Our Parish goal is \$30,739.19. As of June 23, 2022, we have reached \$16,716.00 of our goal with 34 families or 54.38%. Thank you for your generosity!

SANCTUARY AND TRIPTYCHS LAMPS - The Sanctuary and Triptychs Lamps are very special candles that remain perpetually lit to honor Our Lord Jesus' Eucharistic and Mystical Presence. If you are interested in sponsoring a vigil candle, the usual donation is \$10.00. Forms are in the back of the church. Please fill them out and, along with your donation, place in the collection basket.

SANCTUARY AND TRIPTYCHS INTENTIONS:

Nativity Triptych Joseph:
Resurrection Triptych John, Baptist:
Nativity Triptych Our Lady:
Resurrection Triptych Apostles:
Prodigal Son:
Saint John the Baptist, Forerunner:
Jesus Christ:
Theotokos:
St. Nicholas:
Good Shepard:

The Eparchy, within all its parishes, institutions, and programs, is committed to assuring a safe environment in ministry for its children and vulnerable adults that conforms to the USCCB Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People. For additional information regarding the eparchial Safe Environment Program or to report any concerns, please contact:

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